

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of ) Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

The Office Action mailed December 27, 2006 for the above-identified patent application includes a partially-initialed copy of the Information Disclosure Citation form (PTO-1449) submitted by Applicants' Attorney with an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) that was filed on December 8, 2004 in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. In the Applicants' response dated March 27, 2007, Applicants respectfully requested that all the references listed on the Information Disclosure Citation form be properly initialed by the Examiner. However, the Notice of Allowance mailed October 19, 2007 included only the same partially-initialed copy. Applicants' Attorney also notes that no initialed copy of the Information Disclosure Citation forms submitted with the Information Disclosure Statements filed on March 9, 2005 and August 3, 2007 with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office have been received. Applicants' Attorney

respectfully submits that the Information Disclosure Citation forms as previously and properly submitted be considered accordingly.

Applicants' Attorney hereby provides clean copies of the Information Disclosure Statements and PTO-1449 forms as originally filed. Applicants' Attorney respectfully requests consideration of the documents listed on the enclosed PTO-1449 forms. Since the enclosed papers were previously filed with appropriate fees and certifications, if necessary, no fees or certifications are required.

However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other appropriate fees that may be required by this paper that are not accounted for above, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1070.

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